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McPHEETERS BROTHERS

MEXICO, MISSOURI

Forty Missouri counties are "putting their best feet forward" now to secure one of the much-sought-after county farm advisers or "farm doctors," as they could be called. The state leader of these advisers, who determines which will be the lucky counties, is Prof. D. H. Doane, state farm management leader. He is hired by the College of Agriculture and by the United States government.

The advisers are now paid on a cooperative plan, the College of Agriculture paying one-fourth, the United States government one-fourth and the individual counties one-half of their salaries and expenses. The salaries are never less than \$2,000 a year.

S. M. Jordan First Adviser.
The duties of these farm doctors are as varied as are the different phases of farm work. They must not only be able to advise on soil, seeds, crops, and livestock, but also on the various phases of farm management. They must be able to advise on the various phases of farm management. They must be able to advise on the various phases of farm management.

One of the pioneers in this work is S. M. Jordan, formerly an instructor in the College of Agriculture. He was the first county farm adviser in Missouri and has been in charge of Polk County for one year.

Send Me County 973080.
C. H. McWilliams, "Farm Doctor," is a graduate of the College of Agriculture and has had much experience and practice along horticulture lines. He has been in charge of the College of Agriculture, where he has been in charge of the College of Agriculture.

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THOMPSON.
Charley Walker of Centralia was the guest of Hans Galt Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Alice Tanager of Farber has accepted a position as bookkeeper for H. E. Paul, Miss Viola Whitehouse having resigned.

Joe Edgeway is working for H. T. Galt and son on the Stock place.

J. T. Ware of Mexico visited in Vancouver Sunday.

Miss Beulah Griffin who is attending the Missouri University is home as a week's vacation.

Frank Gardner, C. C. & J. Ames at the place, has returned after a month's vacation spent on a trip with his family to the Gulf.

Willard Thompson who is attending the McMillan High School at Mexico is at home during a vacation.

Miss J. L. Allen, accompanied by her son, George, and Lawrence, is visiting in New Hamilton this week.

The Consulate is home from Eight, Kan., for a few days' stay.

Consulate & General shipped a car of goods to St. Louis Monday night.

The boys here are preparing to organize a ball team this season.

We have material here for a profit and we hope they will get to work on it soon.

Will Rich and wife went to St. Louis Saturday night.

Miss Stacey, of Wagon City, who has been visiting her brother, John, returned to her home Tuesday.

Miss Thelma Hildbrand visited at Mrs. J. C. Owens Sunday.

Little Ruth Hildbrand who was very ill last week, is able to be up again.

Miss Anna DeWitt and wife, Mrs. W. H. DeWitt, returned to their home Sunday.

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TWO NEW LAWS PASSED IN EFFECT SOON.
A good made program of State-wide importance is about completed as a result of the House concurring in the Senate Bill providing for a system of 1,000 miles of road connecting every county seat in Missouri. The system is to be built out within the next three months and will be the beginning of a definite plan of highway improvement throughout the state. The bill was introduced in the Senate by Senator Hawkins of Dullin.

The bill provides that the State automobile fund grow \$1 a mile each year to pay for dragging these roads between the county seats. This amount will permit them to be dragged eight times each year so that by the time the next Legislature meets the State will have 700 miles of good roads.

The Highway Bill authorizing aid between 2,000 and 20,000 inhabitants to establish a community farm of government, has passed the Senate at Mexico. It had passed the House and will become a law when signed.

The act provides for a governing committee, consisting of the Mayor and four Councilmen. This body shall have all executive, legislative and judicial powers, now exercised by the Mayor, City Attorney, City Engineer, Treasurer, Collector, and all other executive and administrative officers in cities of the third class and cities under special charter, with a population less than 20,000.

This council shall have all the powers and functions of the Board of Fire and Police Commissioners, Board of Public Works, Waterworks Trustees, Board of Library Trustees in all cities where such boards exist.

The executive and administrative powers will be distributed in all cities adopting this form of government, among the departments, public affairs, accounts and finance, public utility, streets and public improvements, and parks and public recreation.

The Mayor shall be Superintendent of the Department of Public Affairs, and such of the Councilmen shall be superintendent of one other department.

The Council appoints city officers not elected. The Council fills in vacancies, up to 20 per cent of the voters at election may be called to determine whether this form of government shall be adopted, and a majority vote at the election will adopt it.

NORTH EAGLE.
E. M. McMillan was a visitor in the city Sunday.

Ret. Marshall filed his regular application at Santa Fe Sunday morning and that night. Large crowd assembled.

W. D. Taylor bought a brand new Buick Buick, paying \$28.

Miss Brown who has been attending school at Park, Mo., returned to her home Thursday to spend a few days with her folks.

Miss E. W. McMillan is improving.

Miss Pearl Taylor visited home from Park Friday and Sunday.

Miss Wallace Combs of near Santa Fe has been at the bedside of her sister, Miss Leta Brown, the last few days.

The party given at Logan Temple at Santa Fe was well attended.

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MORE DRAFT HORSES FOR OLD MISSOURI SAYS F. L. CROSBY

(From The Missouri Herald by F. L. Crosby, Mexico, Mo.)

Horse breeding has long been one of the important features of the great livestock producing and agricultural states. In fact so important has it been and so great has been the progress made, that at least in the case of one breed—the American Saddle Horse—Missouri has secured a reputation second only to that of a producer. Draft horse breeding has been sadly neglected in Missouri. I think this was partly due to prejudice by the saddle horse, but mainly because the value of the draft horse on the Missouri farm was not known and consequently not appreciated. Realizing these facts the draft horse breeders of Missouri organized themselves in an association which was known as "The Missouri Draft Horse Breeders' Association." The object of this association, as I understand it, was not to encourage or hinder in any way the breeding of any other breed of horse, but to lead help to one another, to advance and demonstrate and to get the Missouri farmer and breeder to realize the importance and possibilities of the draft horse on the farm.

Happy Childhood Days

THESE pictures are only reminders for a few short years. The sweetest and happiest days of your life. Preserve them when you can.

We Specially in Children's Photographs

Alfred Larsen
Photographer in Your Town

Studio 2444 Phone 204

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Joseph M. Hays to John M. Price, Warranty, Cassid, \$2,500. 60 acres in NE. 1/4 of Sec. 4-2-24.

William H. Foster to G. W. Johnson, Warranty, Cassid, \$1,500. 120 acres in Sec. 27 and 28-21-21-2.

R. C. O'Connell to J. W. Gallaher, Warranty, Cassid, \$1,500. Lot 1, Block 4, Parkside Place.

F. B. McWhorter to James M. McKinnon, Warranty, Cassid, \$1,200. 200 acres in Sec. 28 and 29-21-21-2.

Andrew West, Exrs. Deed, Cassid, \$1,200. NE. 1/4 and SW. 1/4 of Sec. 24-2-24.

Central-West Realty Co. to O. F. Bennett, Warranty, Cassid, \$1,200. Lot 8, Block 12, Trinity Heights Addition, Mexico.

W. A. Sharp to Mary A. Glendon, Warranty, Cassid, \$1,000. Lot 4, Oak Park Addition, Mexico.

W. P. Botsford to T. C. Bots, Warranty, Cassid, \$1,000. 1-7 lot in 60 acres in Sec. 2-2-24.

John F. Bots to J. L. Margaret, Warranty, Cassid, \$1,000. 1-7 lot in 60 acres in Sec. 2-2-24.

Don Carr to J. Don Carr, Warranty, Cassid, \$1,000. 1-7 lot in 60 acres in Sec. 2-2-24.

Henry and Clara C. Roppel to Wm. Ruppel, Warranty, Cassid, \$1,000. 120 acres in W. 1/2 of Sec. 23-2-24.

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Stock and Farm News

LEADER SPECIAL
Pages & Decker Private Wire
Chicago Close—
Wheat May 30 1-2 A July 20 1-2 A
Sept. 20 1-2 A 7-8
Corn May 30 1-2 A 5-6 B July 14 1-2 A
7-8 B Sept. 20 1-2 A
Oct. May 34 July 24 Sept. 24
Fork May 28 27 July 20 25 a 27 Sept. 18 20

Local Market
New Wheat—\$1.00.
New Corn—40c and 50c.
New Oats—30c and 35c.
Straw—\$5.00 a ton.
Good Yumoth and Snow Hay—\$11.
Sheep—\$20.00 steady.

THESE farmers around Anxway, during the last few days, have been dragging the roads. That has been the way to get your roads in a good condition.

J. A. Potts & Sons' Sulfon Star, owned in San Antonio, was first prize for the best head saddle stallions at the Fort Worth Brooders and Feeders Show. In addition, Sulfon's Star took five other ribbons and won the \$100 cup hang up for the best combination horse, mare or gelding. Mr. Potts was formerly a resident of Mexico, Mo.—San Antonio Express.

RECORD BROKEN AGAIN.
By paying \$19.50 an acre a year for rent and making a contract for three years, John Yates, a young farmer and stockman residing east of Anxway, who has leased a 60-acre pasture belonging to Isaac C. Decker, which is located south of Anxway, has broken all records in Callaway county for rent on upland ground. The highest price heretofore paid was \$10 an acre. Mr. Yates will put the land in corn.

C. C. and Lewis Kaspald, near Santa Fe, bought 120 head of yearling steers at Kansas City last week. They cost \$7.12 1-2 laid down at Rush Hill.

CONTRACTS CATTLE AT \$1.
Last fall Biggs and Tanager shipped in 80 head of 90-pound calves which they have since sold. The calves were purchased at \$6.00 per hundred weight. They have been fed twice a day on corn, cotton seed meal, timothy and alfalfa. Last week C. E. Sayre contracted for the purchase of the cattle at \$1 per head to be delivered about the middle of June. Messrs. Biggs and Tanager estimate they will average about 100 pounds at the time of delivery.—Foster Forum.

Geo. Adams shipped 19 head of males to St. Louis first of the week. W. S. Biggs had 2 males in the lot. It was one of the best lots ever shipped out from here. Mr. Adams has been feeding and shipping males for many years and says these are the best he ever sent to the market.—Foster Forum.

Beginning Friday, March 25th and continuing until 6:29 March 25th, we will have on sale one entire pair of embroideries, Southerns, handkerchiefs, etc., at 20 per cent discount.
Richards & Emmons D. C. Co.

SEED CORN FOR SALE.
Seifer's Yellow Dent. Apply to W. E. Thompson & Son, Ladonia, Mo. 4-2

Brook Tjamas, well known in Mexico, died in Ladonia last week.

J. E. Evans has returned from Springfield, Mo., where he has been on business.

John Almy and wife are making a visit to friends and relatives in Ladonia.

The Saturday issue of the Historical Courier Post contained the first map ever printed of the line of interurban railroads projected by James D. Houseman. The fact that the proposed system embraces the Mexico, Perry and Santa Fe railroad makes the proposition of great local interest.

Houseman and his associates have already secured control of the interurban line from St. Louis to Kirwood, a distance of seven miles. They have secured 90 per cent of a right of way from Kirwood to Gilmore, a distance of 40 miles. They have also secured permission from the Federal government to erect a bridge over the Missouri River at Kirwood, Springdale, Mo. It will be a building railroads at the present time.

Mr. Houseman proposes to secure control of the road and build from Perry to Kirwood and from Mexico to Columbia. When this is done Columbia will have interurban connections with Hannibal and St. Louis.

SEED OATS FROM IOWA HATHAWAY SEED & PRODUCE CO., MEXICO, MO. 3-2-4

\$1500 INSTEAD OF \$300.
In the reports of the different banks of the country published in the Ledger, this week, the surplus of the Citizens Bank of Benton City, Mo. was given as \$100, when it should have been \$1500.

FORMER MEXICO MAN IN "BATES OF THE U. S. A."
Charles Dew, formerly of this city, is now with the Company playing "Bates of the U. S. A." This Company will play at the American in St. Louis, the week of April 12th.

Mr. Day is a brother of D. C. Hillinger.

Mrs. C. E. Gilhe is confined to her home with illness.

Physicians will tell you that we use PURE DRUGS ONLY.

Our stock of Drugs is complete and we can fill all your Drug Wants. Two registered pharmacists in charge. The name of the Famous Nyala Remedy.

Wren's Pharmacy
On the South Side

A RESOLUTION TO PAVE WEST CENTRAL AVENUE IN THE CITY OF MEXICO, MISSOURI, FROM THE WEST LINE OF SOUTH JEFFERSON STREET WEST TO THE EAST LINE OF SOUTH WESTERN AVENUE AND CURB AND NORTH AND SOUTH SIDES THEREOF, A LONG THE DISTANCE TO BE PAVED.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Mexico, Missouri, as follows:

Section 1. That the City Council of the City of Mexico, Missouri, deems it necessary to bring to a grade and to pave with first-class vitrified paving brick or blocks, that portion of West Central Avenue, in the City of Mexico, lying, being and situated between the West line of South Jefferson Street and the East line of South Western Avenue, in the City of Mexico; said portion of said street to be paved thirty feet wide with the center of the street as paved to be fifteen feet from the South line of said street; the width of said street and the material and place of said improvement are more particularly shown by the plans, diagram and specifications filed by the City Engineer with the City Clerk.

Section 2. That the City Council deem it necessary in view of the proposed improvement of that portion of West Central Avenue lying between the West line of South Jefferson Street and the East line of South Western Avenue, in the City of Mexico, to curb said street along the portion to be paved and along the North and South sides of said portion of said street; said curbing to be first-class concrete curbing as more particularly shown by the plans, diagram and specifications filed with the City Clerk by the City Engineer.

Section 3. That the cost of said improvement so declared as necessary in Sections 1 and 2 hereof be paid by levying a special assessment upon all lots and tracts of land fronting or abutting on either side of said improvement along the distance to be so improved and the proportion to be so improved and the portion to be so improved of said lots and tracts of land so fronting or abutting on either side of said improvement along the distance to be so improved as provided by Sections 9254, 9255, 9256, R. S. Missouri of 1909, as amended by Laws of 1911, pages 235, 237, 238, 239, 240 and 241, Section 2517 of R. S. of Missouri of 1909.

Provided that the cost of bringing said street to a grade and grading said street shall be paid for by the City of Mexico out of the general revenues and said cost shall not be included in a special assessment.

Section 4. That this resolution shall be published for two consecutive insertions in the Mexico Weekly Ledger, a weekly paper published in the City of Mexico, Missouri, and if a majority of resident owners of property liable to taxation for said improvement declared necessary to be done by this resolution at the date of the passage thereof, who shall be a majority of the front feet owners of property in Mexico, Missouri, residing or abutting on said portion of said Central Avenue to be so improved as aforesaid, shall within ten days thereafter, file with the City Clerk of the City of Mexico, their written protest against said improvement, the City Council will cause a contract for said work to be let to the lowest and best bidder on the plans and specifications substantially as so made for said improvement.

Section 5. That said improvement shall be completed not later than August 1, 1912.

Section 6. That said work and improvement and taxation therefor shall be done and made in accordance with the chapter and ordinances of the City of Mexico, Missouri, and the laws of the State of Missouri, relating to and providing for said work and improvement and taxation.

Passed this 24th day of March, 1912.

WILHARD POTTS,
President of the City Council
Approved this 25th day of March, 1912.

(SEAL) WILHARD POTTS,
Mayor of the City of Mexico, Mo.
Attest: WALLACE DEARING,
City Clerk of the City of Mexico, Mo. 4-2

HARRISON BROWN CANDIDATE FOR SECRETARY-TREASURER
Harrison Brown, of this city, a student in the University, is the only candidate for Secretary-Treasurer of the Student Body of that school and will be elected without opposition. The University Missionaries are giving "Who's Who" in the student body. "Who's Who" in the student body is a book published by the University Missionaries Association, president of the University Missionaries Association, president of the University Missionaries Association, president of the University Missionaries Association.

Mr. Brown is also manager of the All Club Carnival, to be given some time soon, and has to count all votes for Carnival Queen. He is flooded with ballots already.

Mule Sale

Postponed

FROM MARCH 25th TO

FRIDAY, MARCH 28

C. H. DEAN.

J. T. JOHNSON
J. G. FORD Auctioneers

FARMERS EXCHANGE

OCCASIONAL WANTS

Glance over this column when you want something and don't know whom to go to. You will likely find the right man here and save time and worry.

KODAK AND FILMS
Expert Developing and Finishing
Worrell, The Jeweler.

SUPPLIES FOR PARTIES
Candles, Brick Ice Cream, Ices
The Busy Bee.

Dolly Yarden Chocolates, The Best
Wren's Pharmacy.

WANTS.
Wanted: 16,000 pounds of old and new Green Feathers. Sam Morris.

FIXING
I will fix anything anywhere. Joe B. Daniels. Phone 255.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED.
25 to 50 cents a pair. Satisfaction guaranteed. Crown Laundry, 241

HORSE SHOEING.
WANTED—To see, immediately, all farmers, at Joe Pratt's shop, 2-41

DINNERS AND LUNCHEONS.
Perfect service and cuisine, any time. Hotel Hoxsey. 2-41

FURNACES AND TINKROW.
Satisfaction guaranteed, prompt service. J. E. Lowery, Phone 716. 2-41

DAIRY
These 245 for double cream. 15 quart milk tickets, \$1.00. 2-41

A COMMISSION has been appointed to look into the question of wages for women in Missouri, with reference to the White Slave Traffic. In the judgment of the writer it is not the girls who work for wages that "go wrong" and need looking after, but the girls who either do not have to work or won't work, no matter what the wages may be. The lazy, non-working class either male or female, are the ones who need looking after.

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North Clark Ave.—Two blocks from square.
10 Cents a Head.
CAMPBELL & PIATT

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Which will be held at POLLOCK PLACE, MEXICO, Wednesday, April 2, 1913

Free lunch at 11:20 a. m. and sale will begin immediately thereafter.
155 HEAD LIVE STOCK
Consisting of the following:
40 MULES from two to seven years old, most of them mare and very nicely matched. All broken up years and on the two year old mares will make the following proposition, viz: That I do not care how high you buy them I will take them back any time between October 2nd and December 2nd, 1913, at what you pay for them if they are sound and in as good fix as when you buy them.

10 MARES AND GELDINGS
Included in this number are 10 of the finest mares and geldings ever bred in Missouri. One is a yearling year old grey draft mare. One is a yearling year old gelding about 15 1/2 hands high and a good one. One dark bay seven year old draft gelding about sixteen and one-half years old.

120 HEAD GOOD THIRTY
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TERMS—Cash or six months' time. No interest on cash advanced. Cols. J. T. Johnson and J. G. Ford, Auctioneers.

W. W. POLLOCK

Special Grocery Bargains

Tall can Salmon \$.10
4 cans good Corn .25
5 lbs. Coffee 1.00
3 cans Tomatoes .25
4 pks. Corn Flakes .25
Can Peas, 15c value .25

Reduced prices in fresh meats. Highest prices paid for produce.

Frank A. Sannebeck
Washington St. Market.

Now is the Time to Buy Cowpeas

I can save you fifty cents per bu. before 40 days.

Pure Whippewill - \$2.60
Special Mixed - \$2.45
Common Mixed - \$2.35

These prices delivered to your station

This seed is absolutely the best grade. Prices